

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00003021324	IC Number : 11-WB14713737	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 3/16/2011 10:51:41AM	Date Closed : 3/18/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bl* **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] *bl* **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : BROKEN ARROW OK 74012 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 03/15/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 8:00 PM **City/State of Program :** Tulsa, OK
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

March 16, 2011

Skins Glamorizes Statutory Rape

It was in the news again this week. A 38-year-old teacher from Kentucky was arrested after being caught partially naked with one of her students.

Similar reports seem to be appearing in the news with disturbing frequency in recent years. Adults, put in a position of trust and authority over impressionable youngsters, abusing their position and power to seduce or sexually exploit the children entrusted to their care.

It's not a trivial matter, and yet Skins ? a show expressly targeted to teenage viewers and featuring a mostly teenaged cast ? this week chose to highlight an affair between an adult teacher and her teenage student.

Tina goes through her papers in the teacher's lounge. She gets to Chris' and sees the title, which reads, 'How I'm Going to Bone You Tonight.'

Tina (reading): 'Dear Tina, I'm sitting here with a really, really massive [expletive deleted by PTC]. Like, throbbing, you know? I can't help it. The way you sit with your breasts all perky. Once we get back to your apartment, I'm going to rip off your shirt and start groping your [expletive deleted by PTC].'

...And this:

Chris and Tina have sex in her bed. Chris is holding the headboard which shakes back and forth from their activity.

Tina: "Jesus, Chris! Slow down!"

Chris: "Thing's screwing up my rhythm!"

Tina: "Is it supposed to be going that fast?"

She looks at a miniature steam engine Chris took from the Physics teacher, Dave, sitting on the table beside the bed.

Tina bangs against the headboard, moaning and about to climax.

Dave enters Tina's apartment and hears Tina climax. Dave enters the bedroom. He sees Chris on top of Tina. The machine explodes.

The depiction of a sexual relationship between an adult and a child as somehow romantic or exciting is grossly irresponsible.

And to force every cable household in America to underwrite such content is unconscionable.

In the nine episodes of Skins that have aired to date, there have been over 1,000 instances of sex, violence, profanity, or drug or alcohol use. In last night's episode alone, there were 85 instances of sexual content ? or one every 28 seconds.

At least two experiments show that watching MTV results in more permissive attitudes about sex. One experiment showed that college students who were assigned to watch MTV developed more liberal attitudes toward premarital sex than their peers who did not watch MTV as part of the study. The second found that seventh and ninth graders were more likely to approve of premarital sex after watching MTV for one hour. Other studies have shown that greater exposure to and greater involvement with sexual content on TV leads to a stronger endorsement of recreational sex, higher expectations of the sexual activity of one's peers, and more extensive sexual experience.

I am urging you to no longer broadcast the MTV show "Skins."

With urgent thanks,

 bb

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00003020222	IC Number : 11-R3020222	Submission Method : Email	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : email.reader	Problem Submitted Time : 3/15/2011 6:20:02PM	Date Closed : 4/8/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address :	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : <i>bb</i>	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 3/14/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : -
Time of Program : 7 pm PT	City/State of Program : CA
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Problem Description

Email Subject: Formal Complaint against the MTV Networks

Network: MTV

Program Title: Skins

Broadcast Date: 03/14/2011

Broadcast time: 7:00PM

Time Zone: Pacific Time

Skin shows teens having sex with each other and with a teacher. It also showed teens high, smoking marijuana, and using ecstasy. I am totally appalled that this show has been allowed to air primetime on a network that young kids watch. I am a young teacher at a middle school, and I see daily my students replicating the same behaviors from this show. I spent the majority of my day, not educating children, but trying to eradicate problem behaviors that are glamorized on this show. I am just shocked.

Please do our kids a favor and shut the Skins program down. I realize that MTV gets ratings, but at what point do we need to put money aside and put morals ahead?

He [REDACTED] M. Ed.

Resource Specialist

BPJH

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Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00003017283	IC Number : 11-WB14713658	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Obscene	Assigned Code Acronym : OSBC
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 3/14/2011 10:14:05PM	Date Closed : 4/8/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b2	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CANTON MA 02021 b6	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 03/14/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 210
Time of Program : 10:00pm	City/State of Program : Canton, MA
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This is disgusting. My son turns it on and immediately we SEE and HEAR two teenagers having sex. The scenes went from sex to drugs back to sex. It si 10:00pm not midnight and this was not the Playboy channel. Who allows this crap?

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00003010701	IC Number : 11-R3010701	Submission Method : Email	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : email.reader	Problem Submitted Time : 3/10/2011 9:23:18AM	Date Closed : 3/15/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : MURPHY NC 28906 b6 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] b6 Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : unknown Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : ABC
 Time of Program : 3:00 pm City/State of Program : Murphy, NC
 Network : ABC Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/15/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/25/2011

Problem Description

Email Subject: Indecency Complaint

[REDACTED] b6
 murphy, NC 28906

Federal Communications Commission
 445 12th St, S.W.
 Complaints and Political Programming Branch
 Enforcement Division, Mass Media Bureau
 Washington, DC 20554

This is a formal COMPLAINT of indecency on broadcast television. My complaint concerns the PROGRAM ON:

Network: ABC
 Program Name: skins
 Broadcast Date: all
 Broadcast Time: 3:00pm ET
 My Affiliate: abc

Description of Indecency:

Just about any scene in these shows are indecent.

COMPLAINANT RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS THAT THE FCC ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS COMPLAINT,
AND THAT THE FCC KEEP ME INFORMED OF THE PROGRESS AND RESULTS OF YOUR INVESTIGATION
INTO THIS MATTER.

Sincerely,

 bb

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00003010666	IC Number : 11-WB14711484	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 3/9/2011 4:44:30PM	Date Closed : 3/11/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 : [REDACTED] b6	P. O. Box : 6814
City / State / Zip : GLENDALE AZ 85303	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 03/09/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 160
Time of Program : 9:00	City/State of Program : Glendale, Arizona
Network : Mtv/ Nickelodeon	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins, the hard times of rj ber	

Problem Description

Skins, the hard times of rj berger as well as many other promgrams affiliated with mtv Viacom such as degrassi feature drug use & highly sexual themed programs featuring young characters. I believe these shows target our youth and send the wrong message to our children. We should not support these type of programs. I hope something is done so that Viacom will no longer be able to air these distasteful programing. Rj Berger in just a preview of the show is trying to take off another girls bra (these are under age kids) and he is having difficulties when an adult woman (I'm assuming is his mother) comes to his aid and helps him remove her bra. In another preview he sees a attrative peer in school and the young woman asks if he picturing her naked. Skins features sexual and drug related storylines. I do not want my family watching this material.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002993814	IC Number : 11-WB14703303	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/25/2011 3:03:27AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :** PO Box 223
City / State / Zip : WARREN AR 71671 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** 160
Time of Program : 08:00 pm **City/State of Program :** Warren, Arkansas
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

I watched a few minutes from the controversial show on mtv called skins and in the 10 minutes of viewing I was completely disgusted. A young guy, possibly not out of his teens, was walking down a street naked. MTV aired this nudity and that is completely inappropriate. At what point do you draw the line for child porn? I have never been so disgusted at a television show as much as I am this one. Drug use, sex, lying, and wreckless behavior that is so called the "depiction" of today's youth. This is a lie. The show is supposed to be about troubled youth but in my time as a youth I was never exposed to such actions nor were my peers. It is highly offensive to even SUGGEST that this is how the youth of America acts because it is not. There are good people out there who are teens who do not engage in this kind of disgusting behavior. I would be embarrassed if this is how we as a country want to exemplify our youth and future leaders of our nation. This show needs and SHOULD be pulled from viewing. As a father and a young father at that does not want any of this mess that is being show exposed to my daughter EVER. This is cable television. This isn't HBO or Cinemax where you have to pay to watch filth. This is available to anyone see and it certainly not something our teens should use as an example for growth. I've been on this earth for 25 years and I have never been so offended by such profane, obscene, indecent, and vulgar depiction of teens. I hope justice prevails in this case and this show be removed from network programming. It seems the world and TV feeds on filth and things that are good, harmless, and morally abundant are shunned and degraded. Do what is right and rid our tv's of this trash.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002980219	IC Number : 11-WB14699189	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/18/2011 1:56:00PM	Date Closed : 2/25/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *b6* Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *b6* Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : RANCHO CORDOVA CA Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *b6* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 9:00 PM City/State of Program : Rancho cordova, ca
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

I'm not certain of the time and date that the show "Skins" was on, but... In the 10 minutes I watched, I saw the following:

- 1) Teens smoking marijuana
- 2) A young boy portrayed masturbating
- 3) Two teen lesbians kissing passionately in front of all their peers at a high school party
- 4) Teen nudity (no major parts showing, but enough to get the idea)
- 5) A teen girl getting involved sexually with an older man who was ?chaperoning? the party, and telling her to keep it a secret.
- 6) Underage drug use.
- 7) Horrible language

This was all I could take and changed the channel. My kids will get enough bad put in their faces, I don't need MTV normalizing this type of stuff and make it seem like everyone is doing it.
 Drug and sex addition will be the brake down of our society and it needs to be stopped.

Thanks.

[REDACTED] *b6*

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002973904	IC Number : 11-WB14697921	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/16/2011 1:30:01PM	Date Closed : 2/17/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] *bb* **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : FORT WORTH TX 76120 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** 34
Time of Program : 08:00pm **City/State of Program :** Ft Worth, TX
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

This show depicts child pornography. An underage actor (age 17) is shown naked from the behind. This is absolutely intolerable. Also it depicts drug use and other illegal activities, as well as irresponsible sex.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002973905	IC Number : 11-WB14697924	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/16/2011 1:31:19PM	Date Closed : 3/8/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : b6	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : FORT WORTH TX 76117	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 34
Time of Program : 08:00pm	City/State of Program : Ft Worth, TX
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This program breaks child pornography laws. It shows an actor, age 17, bare butt.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002972957	IC Number : 11-WB14697338	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/15/2011 2:19:29PM	Date Closed : 2/16/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 : [REDACTED] b6	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : TOMBALL TX 77377	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 02/15/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 502
Time of Program : 11:00 PM	City/State of Program : TOMBALL, TX
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Problem Description

TEENAGE NUDITY

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002972961	IC Number : 11-WB14697420	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/15/2011 6:04:14PM	Date Closed : 3/8/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : VACAVILLE CA 95687 Title : [REDACTED] Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company : [REDACTED]

Indecency

Date of Program : 02/14/11 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV SKINS
 Time of Program : 10:00 PM City/State of Program : Vacaville CA
 Network : MTV Program Type : Cable
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS

Problem Description

This show is lewd, crude and should be banned from public television! If HBO wants to run the series on a "late night" basis, or some porn channel, then this show would be better suited on that station. MTV, however has decided to air a show that degrades teenagers and glorifies, promotes sex to teens. It's a shame that I have to put parental control locks on MTV, a station that used to play music. Now they play nothing but mindless garbage that our teens soak up and portray. Ban SKINS!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002972963	IC Number : 11-WB14697536	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/15/2011 10:24:56PM	Date Closed : 2/16/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>hb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address :	Address 2 :	P. O. Box : 33 Bakke St
City / State / Zip : HURLBURT FIELD FL 32544	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 2/14/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 331
Time of Program : 10:00pm	City/State of Program : Hurlburt Field, FL
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

topics, sex, teens doing adult things, drugs

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002961685	IC Number : 11-WB14692766	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/8/2011 11:33:37AM	Date Closed : 3/7/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *b6* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *b6* Address 2 : [REDACTED] P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : ARLINGTON TN 38002 Title : [REDACTED] *b6* Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *b6* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/27/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 09:00 PM City/State of Program : Memphis, TN
 Network : Comcast Program Type : Cable
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

?Skins? ? a title that derives from the rolling papers that are used to make the blunts that go with the vodka that washes down the pills that accompany the hookups ? is mostly about explicitly teenage characters doing explicit things. MTV executives themselves apparently thought might edge into child-porn territory. Teenagers show children how to roll blunts, bottles of vodka are traded on merry go-rounds, and youngsters shrug off being molested and threatened by a drug dealer. One of the characters in Episode 3 ? runs naked down the street with a pill-enhanced erection.

Teenagers are highly impressionable, and they're vulnerable to these kinds of messages. This show is completely inappropriate for TV. As a parent I don't believe it should be aired. It does not teach moral values and I take offence at the notion that kids are being filmed and encouraged to do the things that happen on this show. Please look into pulling this show from the air and help encourage programs that encourage kids to do good and not to do drugs and have sex. Programs like Skins are why our youth is as bad as they are. Thank you.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002958895	IC Number : 11-WB14690577	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/5/2011 2:49:52AM	Date Closed : 2/11/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bl</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bl</i>	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : BEAUMONT TX 77705	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 02/05/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 62
Time of Program : 01:00am	City/State of Program : beaumont, tx
Network : mtv	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : skins	

Problem Description

underage kids promoting sex, sexual behavior, drugs, alcohol, not only promoting it but being apart of it. Living a highly provocative lifestyle as kids

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002958899	IC Number : 11-WB14691039	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/5/2011 9:06:22PM	Date Closed : 3/4/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* **Phone :** [REDACTED] **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** [REDACTED] **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : FORT WAYNE IN 46816 *bb* **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : [REDACTED] *bb* **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/18/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 11:00 pm **City/State of Program :** Fort Wayne, Indiana
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Problem Description

For the sake of morality for the sake of our children for the sake of our nation....Please pull the plug on the MTV show SKINS. This show is simply unacceptable. It glorifies everything that I and millions of other parents across America are trying to shield our children from. Elicit sex, homosexuality, drugs, pornography, just to name a few. This is not entertainment, this is detrimental to welfare of our youth. If this type of show is accepted as okay to watch, then the future of this country is truly in jeopardy. Until this show is removed from TV I will not support any of the sponsors. As a concerned citizen I'm asking. As a Christian I'm pleading. As a mother I'm begging. And a taxpayer and consumer I'm demanding this show be removed from television.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002957781	IC Number : 11-WB14689282	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/3/2011 1:42:16AM	Date Closed : 2/4/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *h6* Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : Address 2 : P. O. Box : 108
 City / State / Zip : MEADOW LANDS PA 15347 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/27/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : mtv
 Time of Program : 10:00 pm City/State of Program : meadowlands pa
 Network : mtv Program Type : Cable/Satellite
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 skins

Problem Description

I can't remember details, since it was a week or two ago, however what I do remember is that the show was laden with minors having sex, stealing and using drugs and alcohol. I watched it to see if they would put a spin on it at the end, ultimately showing that these things are harmful, however it never did and conversely glorified them instead. I'm shocked and appalled that any network would think this was ok to put out. IT's absolutely disgusting and embarrassing to me as an American to portray our youth in this light. Mtv is not known for wholesome, positive programming, however they crossed the line and pushed the envelope way too far on this one, as it seems they are fond of doing quite frequently. Please take action to stop this destructive programming. Thank you.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002957785	IC Number : 11-WB14689553	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/3/2011 12:16:24PM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : LAGRANGE GA 30240 b6 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] b6 Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Channel 70
 Time of Program : 10:00 PM City/State of Program : LaGrange, GA
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/3/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

I first filed a complaint about this show on Jan. 21. I just received a letter stating that I did not include the information necessary to file a complaint and my complaint would be dismissed. I did include everything that this form asked for, but I will do it again.

This show is very obscene and inappropriate for any audience. It depicts underage teenagers in many explicit sexual situations....graphically touching each other's private parts and appearing to have sex as well as doing drugs. Some appeared to be as young as 15. These actors are being taken advantage of...they are not old enough to understand what they are doing, and I'm sure it is illegal to present children having sex on TV. It also sends the worst possible message to teenagers who are certainly watching this program no matter what time it airs (they record it or upload it)...that this is acceptable behavior for young teens when in fact, it creates many of the problems we have in this country with young people....STD's, unplanned pregnancies, health problems due to drug use, and depression...all of which cost this country millions of dollars in health care costs. This show is blatantly offensive to me as parent, and my heart breaks for those children who are the actors on this show. They are basically having sex on TV for the world to see and it will probably corrupt their lives forever.

The fact that my complaint was not accepted shows that there is waste of time and resources in our government. I know that the FCC received many complaints about this show...there was no doubt as to the nature of my complaint, and I provided all the requested information. Someone had to write, print, and mail the letter I received, which was wasted time and money. I provided the date, time, station, channel, and title in the blanks on this form, as well as a detailed description, so I expect this complaint to be registered this time.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002957795	IC Number : 11-WB14689619	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/3/2011 2:07:34PM	Date Closed : 2/10/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box : Po box 9064
 City / State / Zip : NEW IBERIA LA 70560 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/01/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Often
 Time of Program : 07:00 pm City/State of Program : New iberia
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

The program commercials allude constantly to lewd sex behavior, it's in
 Appropriate to promote such low self esteem issues to teenagers with
 Such a lack to educate on the things the will move them in areas of
 Productive living and not that of alicholics, drug users, pimps, and
 Prostitute please assist in move this garbage off the air waves what
 We do with garbage is take it out, but in this case take it off the air.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002950870	IC Number : 11-R2950870	Submission Method : Email	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : email.reader	Problem Submitted Time : 2/1/2011 4:51:36PM	Date Closed : 2/24/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : CHADDS FORD PA 19317 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] b6 Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : Thursday nights and repeats Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : -
 Time of Program : 9:00 pm ET City/State of Program : Chadds Ford, PA
 Network : - Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS & JERSEY SHORE

Problem Description

Email Subject: Indecency Complaint

[REDACTED] b6
 Chadds Ford, PA 19317

Federal Communications Commission
 445 12th St, S.W.
 Complaints and Political Programming Branch
 Enforcement Division, Mass Media Bureau
 Washington, DC 20554

This is a formal COMPLAINT of indecency on broadcast television. My complaint concerns the PROGRAM ON:

Network:
 Program Name: Skins & Jersey Shore
 Broadcast Date: Thursday nights and repeats
 Broadcast Time: 9:00pm ET
 My Affiliate:

Description of Indecency:

I think it's time for our country to put a stop to these shows. They are so immoral and send the young message to our teenagers. Even my teenage daughters are disgusted with the behavior of the people on these shows.


Take them OFF THE AIR and other shows just like them. It's time to start watching what we allow to be put on TV anymore. Curse words are getting worse, sex is too explicit, even shows that I enjoy watching are starting to get too graphic in their curse words. I try to teach my daughters how they should expect to be treated by young men and then they watch these shows and see how disrespectful girls are being treated and allowing themselves to be treated. These TV shows are making it more and more difficult for kids in our country to grow up nice moral, drug free kids when all they watch on TV is

about having sex and drinking and doing drugs.

I love to watch TV but I'm starting to believe that TV shows are destroying the American Family.

COMPLAINANT RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS THAT THE FCC ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS COMPLAINT,
AND THAT THE FCC KEEP ME INFORMED OF THE PROGRESS AND RESULTS OF YOUR INVESTIGATION
INTO THIS MATTER.

Sincerely,

 *bb*

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002951433	IC Number : 11-WB14688211	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/1/2011 9:39:46AM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : DUSON LA 70529 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 03/31/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Chanel 40
 Time of Program : 7:30 am City/State of Program : Duson La
 Network : MTV Program Type : Cable
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/3/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

This "show" is teen porn which is unacceptable even with Parental Controls available. The show promotes all the bad things parents try to avoid in our kids or teenagers daily lives. Our kids are our future and I refuse to pay for a cable service that airs filth like this. I want this porn show removed from tv.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002951434	IC Number : 11-WB14688218	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/1/2011 9:50:46AM	Date Closed : 2/2/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b4 b6 Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : SIMPSONVILLE SC 29681 Title : Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6 Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/31/11 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Channel 68
Time of Program : 10:00PM City/State of Program : Simpsonville, SC
Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Problem Description

There isn't anything in this show that isn't obscene. The kids in the show are having sex, talking about oral sex, doing drugs and talking about drugs, dirty language...etc. I can't believe this was ever permitted. Please get this junk off of the TV. Innocent kids are being exposed.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002951436	IC Number : 11-WB14688300	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Cable	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/1/2011 1:00:54PM	Date Closed : 2/23/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *hb* Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *hb* Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : HADDON HEIGHTS NJ Title : Fax Number :
 Email : *hb* [REDACTED] Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/31/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 10:00 pm City/State of Program : Haddon Heights, NJ
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 2/23/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

This program is child Porn. The writer and producers and owners of MTV should be arrested!!!!!!!!!!!!!! THIS SHOW IS HORRIFIC AND ILLEGAL!!!!!!!!!!!!!! THIS SHOW IS EXPLOITING CHILDREN. PLEASE STOP IT NOW IF YOU CARE FOR CHILDREN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002951438	IC Number : 11-WB14688368	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Cable	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym :
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 2/1/2011 4:11:37PM	Date Closed : 2/4/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : SALISBURY MD 21804 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/31/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 pm **City/State of Program :** salisbury md
Network : comcast **Program Type :** Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 skins

Problem Description

On news radio I heard about an indecent show called 'skins' produced and shown on MTV. While in New York City this past weekend I also saw huge billboards (with pictures of 2 teenage girls licking a teenage boy) and other advertisements for this show. My two daughters, 14yo and 13yo, also noticed the signs. Before making judgement regarding this show I went on line to the MTV website and watched as much of an episode of skins I could stand....about 7 minutes. During that 7 minutes I listed all the things I found offensive and potentially harmful for my (any) child:

Please note that all characters are portrayed as high school teenagers

Drug use - marijuana and pills (light blue?)

Nudity of an underage girl

Two girls kissing which lead to a full blown sex scene/sleepover after which they wake-up naked together!!

Vulgarity

Profanity - shit, asshole, bitch (which, sadly, were the least of the offenses)

Parents portrayed as inattentive idiots unaware of how horrible they're kids are behaving.

I had to turn it off. That was only 7 minutes of 1 episode so I can only imagine (probably not even...) what else is on there. It's heartbreaking that the media has come to this. And parents are sitting idly-by or innocently ignorant while their kids are being fed this perverse material. I read some of the reviews on the website and many kids wrote in saying that it's too much and they aren't going to watch it. Ultimately I believe it's not about the kids, it's about perverted producers and perverted ADULT viewers! It is CHILD PORNOGRAPHY and needs to be stopped!

It isn't enough to put blocks on individual tvs. Where are the standards? Who has control? This is not a case of mtv exerting their right to free speech! What they are doing is illegal! and needs to be stopped. That show, skins, must to be taken off air!

One Angry Mom

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002946367	IC Number : 11-WB14687742	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/31/2011 3:53:03PM	Date Closed : 2/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : *bb* P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : KINGS PARK NY 11754 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/31/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 53-55
 Time of Program : 10.00am City/State of Program : new york
 Network : mtv-mtv2 Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 skins

Problem Description

bb HI I [REDACTED] wrote because people told me there is a show on mtv-mtv2 channel and 53-55 named skins they saw and said they are talking about this on all the news channels and radio news, they said they have seventeen year old kids walking around nude having sex and taking drugs on the show come on I CAN,T belive what I am hearing they said the rating on there is ma, people told me you can do some thing about this fine them or take them off the air I TOLD my children not to watch this show skins on mtv HOPE you can do something about this show thank you.

Case Information			
Control ID : CIMS00002943832	IC Number : 11-WB14686336	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/29/2011 10:02:59AM	Date Closed : 2/1/2011

Contact Information			
Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :	
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED] b6	P. O. Box :	
City / State / Zip : CHICAGO IL 60639	Title :	Fax Number :	
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :		

Indecency	
Date of Program : 01/27/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 160 OR 161
Time of Program : 10:00pm	City/State of Program : Chicago Illinois
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Problem Description

Im disgusted and offended by the show 'SKINS' it is not a reflection of our teenagers. This show is child pornography and should be illegal. Not very happy I have children of my own and can't imagine them watching this show. Concerned Parent.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943833	IC Number : 11-WB14686346	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/29/2011 10:30:32AM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : [REDACTED] P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CRAWFORDVILLE FL Title : Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/15/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 36
Time of Program : 10:00 PM City/State of Program : Crawfordville, FL
Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/3/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

My wife viewed this program and found that it was directed to the teenage audience and that it graphically displayed activities that people should not do especially teenagers. She interpreted it as promoting these activities, which are dangerous and inappropriate for teenagers. She realizes that the program is on late, however due to the time and the audience it is directed to she feels that it needs a serious review or to be pulled from the air or moved to a more appropriate time and day. As you know she too was once a teenager and knows how teenagers interpret these types of shows.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943834	IC Number : 11-WB14686383	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/29/2011 11:47:50AM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *hb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box : 319A
 City / State / Zip : ITASCA IL 60143 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/24/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 38
 Time of Program : 09:00 PM City/State of Program : Schaumburg
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

Within the first 3 minutes of viewing the program, I saw teenagers openly doing drugs and talking about doing them, a grown man grabbing the crotch of a young teenage boy, and two underage girls using fake ID's to go to a dance club full of other drugged up teenage girls, then exchanging sexual favors with one another. This program is extremely offensive and should not be accessible to any teenager or adult watching TV. It's disgusting, and there isn't even any plot, just a string of obscene events. If this is supposed to a reflection of normal American teenage life, then we're all in deep trouble. Please take this off the air ASAP!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943836	IC Number : 11-WB14686508	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/29/2011 4:27:12PM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] bb	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : bb	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CHICAGO IL 60647 bb	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/29/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 160
Time of Program : 2:00 pm	City/State of Program : Chicago, IL
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency :	FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. :	IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date :	3/3/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case :	3/14/2011

Problem Description

The show 'SKINS' it is not a reflection of our teenagers. This show is child pornography and should be illegal. How can we expect our children to change when the are being exposed to something like this.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943842	IC Number : 11-WB14686606	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/29/2011 7:57:06PM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *h6* Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] *h6* Address 2 : P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : OLYMPIA FIELDS IL 60461 Title : Fax Number :
Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/24/11 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 60
Time of Program : 08:00 PM City/State of Program : Chicago, IL
Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/3/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

The show consists of teenage sex and drug-use, obscene language and images and footage that depict sexual exploitation of teenagers.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943802	IC Number : 11-WB14685613	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 10:04:22AM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] **Phone :** [REDACTED] **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** [REDACTED] **P. O. Box :** 1804
City / State / Zip : MELROSE PARK IL 60160 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : [REDACTED] **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/17/2010 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** 29 Comcast
Time of Program : 9:00 pm **City/State of Program :** Illinois
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/3/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

When I saw the promotion for Skins I was disgusted as to what I saw, sex and drug scenes that are equal to child pornography. Then I watched the show and could not continue after the first 5 minutes of it, especially after reading a quick review of what the episode was about. Young teens having sex in public, promoting same sex partnership, constant use of drugs and having scenes of young teens masterbating. It is disgusting!!!!!! I am a fan of MTV, not on everything but I do see most shows, but I am dissapointed to the extreme that this show has gone. I am petitioning that this show be taken off the air immediately as it is offensinsive interpretations of our American Teenagers, Families and our Society. As a mother I have morals and values as a Christian individual and this show does not reflect who I was as a teen nor my family. As a school social worker for a public middle school, this show is an extreme interpretation. Please take this show off the air!!!!!! Thanks!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943804	IC Number : 11-WB14685634	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 10:38:16AM	Date Closed : 2/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : HANAHAN SC 29410	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/24/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : CHARLESTON, SC
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Problem Description

THIS SHOW IS NOTHING MORE THAN A SADISTIC PORTRAYAL OF WHAT ALL PARENTS ARE DEATHLY AFRAID OF THEIR TEENAGED CHILDREN BECOMING. IT IS FAR TOO GRAPHIC WITH REPEATED DRUG ABUSE, BORDERLINE HARD CORE PORN OPPOSITE SEX AND SAME SEX, MOBISH GANGSTER BEHAVIOR BY A PARENTAL FIGURE, MEANINGLESS SEX BETWEEN CHILDREN WHO ARE NOT CAPABLE OF MAKING AN INFORMED DECISION, SINGLE PARENTHOOD OF MULTIPLE CHILDREN WITH THE OLDER TEENAGER LIVING OFF HER PARENTS, COMPLETE LACK OF PARENTAL AWARENESS AND/OR CONCERN. ITS OFFENSIVE IN EVERY WAY AND ONLY SERVES TO PROMOTE INAPPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR BY CHILDREN, TEENAGERS AND ADULTS.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943809	IC Number : 11-WB14685718	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 12:55:10PM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : PALATINE IL 60074 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/25/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 9:00 PM **City/State of Program :** Palatine, IL
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/3/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

Explicit sexual material, drugs, and alcohol use describing the American teenager as they are today in the real world.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943810	IC Number : 11-WB14685727	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 1:47:01PM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bl</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : HOFFMAN ESTATES IL	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/25/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : weekly
Time of Program : 09:00PM	City/State of Program : Hoffman Estates, IL
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

I am truly offended by the show Skins on MTV. As a mother, a sister to young teenagers, and as an educator working with young teens, I truly feel that our televised programs have a lot of influential factors in our students/children. This is one that is an extreme offense to our young people. It gives them the idea that sex, drinking, drugs, and violence are not only acceptable, but are promoted. I feel that it should be taken off of the air.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943811	IC Number : 11-WB14685737	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Cable	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym :
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 1:21:59PM	Date Closed : 2/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Address 2 : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : LONGVIEW TX 75604	Title : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/25/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 52 Cable SuddenLink
Time of Program : 9:00PM	City/State of Program : Longview, Texas
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : "skins"	

Problem Description

This is clearly a program that sexually exploits minor children. Someone should go to jail for putting this filth on our public airwaves. This show will cause terrible consequences for our youth. Please, put a stop to this perversion or it will keep getting worse.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943812	IC Number : 11-WB14685753	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 1:44:41PM	Date Closed : 3/3/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] *bb* **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : HOFFMAN ESTATES IL **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/25/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 09:00PM **City/State of Program :** Hoffman Estates, IL
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/3/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/14/2011

Problem Description

Disgusting! Who is letting our kids watch this type of program!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943815	IC Number : 11-WB14685865	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 5:37:22PM	Date Closed : 2/24/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] ^{bb} Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] ^{bb} Address 2 : [REDACTED] ^{bb} P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : SMYRNA DE 19977 Title : Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] ^{bb} Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 11:00PM City/State of Program : Smyrna Delaware
Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 2/24/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

This show is borderline pornography and these look like kids, young teenagers. This show is a disgrace to every parent in the US trying to raise responsible kids. We should not be exposing kids to this type of behavior not should we be giving child molesters and child pornography watchers programs on regular TV to feed their sick fantasies. This show needs to be removed from the air IMMEDIATELY and if people want to watch it, let them rent it from an adult store.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943820	IC Number : 11-WB14685995	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 9:46:01PM	Date Closed : 2/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : ROCHESTER MN 55906 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/24/2010 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 09:00 PM **City/State of Program :** Rochester, MN
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

This television show depicts teens engaging in illegal activities for their age. They are apparently involved with alcohol, drugs, and other negative activities. They are also engaging in things of a sexual nature that are not appropriate for television, especially for the age these characters depict. This show makes it seem like all of today's teens engage in this behavior and that it's exciting and dramatic. In fact, all teens do not necessarily act like this. However, if this type of programming is still aloud on TV and if the popularity of such a program grows, the behavior may soon become "normal" which is incredibly unfortunate since it has been proven that alcohol, drugs, and sex among teens have a generally detrimental effect on their psychological, emotional, physical, and social development.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002943823	IC Number : 11-WB14686030	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/28/2011 10:38:32PM	Date Closed : 2/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED] b6	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : VENTURA CA 93004	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/15/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 09:00PM	City/State of Program : California United States
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : "SKINS"	

Problem Description

HOW DO I GET A HOLD OF ADVERTISERS? DO YOU LET YOUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN WATCH THIS? WHY DO YOU THINK WE WANT OUR KIDS SUBMITTED TO THIS?

i WANT THE sKINS OFF tv. I GIVE IT ALL TO MY LORD: REVENGE IS MINE SAYS THE LORD!

In response to your question about how to get Skins off of television, we recommend you contact any or all of the following organizations:

- American Family Association
- Morality in Media
- Concerned Women for America

Also, we advise contacting the Federal Communications Commission regarding broadcast indecency or obscenity. In addition, don't underestimate the impact of expressing your opinion to sponsors since they pay the advertising bill and are dependent on viewers buying their products. You might want to direct your feedback to the station itself, as well. While we don't have contact information for MTV, you may be able to find it by conducting a general Internet search.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00003107495	IC Number : 11-WB14735556	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 4/30/2011 10:33:42PM	Date Closed : 5/4/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : MONROE GA 30656	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 08/20/2010	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : n/a
Time of Program : 11 pm	City/State of Program : Atlanta
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Skins is borderline child pornography. It shows teenage children partaking in sex and drugs and using profanity.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933315	IC Number : 11-WB14680009	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 10:41:49AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : SNOW HILL NC 28580	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 160
Time of Program : 10:00PM	City/State of Program : SnowHill,NC
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Problem Description

I am a young teenager and I truly believe in CULTURAL INFLUENCES in society this show aired an when i took sight of the things that were being talked about and the things that could possibly take place it worried me a lot. With the condition our country is in and the high percentage of teenage pregnancy,high school dropouts and TEENAGE DRUG USE why show a show be aired like this. THIS show is glorifying the very things I listed above and young teenagers and older ones could be influenced. This show targets teens who have little guidance and ones who believe they are already adults and don't have real role models in their lives. I know MTV is not a children network and parental advisory is probably advised but this show doesn't appear to be censored and parents would probably think nothing of it. I hope and pray that this show doesn't air for long and parents will stand up for their children and the things that are being marketed to them. THANK YOU FOR HEARING MT THOUGHTS AND OPINIONS MOMSAGAINSTHIPHOP

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933316	IC Number : 11-WB14680019	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 10:34:41AM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bl</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : ANDREWS TX 79714 <i>bb</i>	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 41
Time of Program : 09:00 PM	City/State of Program : Andrews, Texas
Network : Mtv	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Underage child actors promoting and being placed in sexual situations. Narcotics and extremely foul (bleeped) language also involved.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933318	IC Number : 11-WB14680053	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 10:51:54AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] bb	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] bb	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : COLUMBUS OH 43232	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] bb	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 29
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Columbus, Ohio
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This program is promoting sex and drug use to teens. That's it focus - first episode was about one teen offering to help another teen to lost his virginity - on TV. When is this going to stop. Enough is enough.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933319	IC Number : 11-WB14680069	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:00:32AM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 Phone : [REDACTED] b6 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : [REDACTED] b6 P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : GALLUP NM 87301 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] b6 Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/18/2010 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 43
 Time of Program : 7:00 pm City/State of Program : Gallup, NM
 Network : MTV Program Type : Cable/Satellite
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Problem Description

I am a 22 year-old college student & while watching on of my usualy programs the series premier of SKINS came on & I was embarrassed & SHOCKED that this show was even airing on a channel that 11, 12, 13 year old children could view. I am a 22 year old married woman with 2 children & shows like this, in my opinion, encourage sexual behavior at an early age when MOST teens are not WELL aware of the risks, etc. Not only was sexual behavior exposed but the use of drugs & alcohol too. ASTONISHING, what is this world coming too??

MTV states that the show is the "reality" of teen today?? Maybe so but our children do not need to be learning about this type of behavior from a television set. Parents need to be the ones to teach their children/teens about risks & certain behaviors. This program needs to be removed or if anything show at a later time so that only ADULT can view tha material.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933320	IC Number : 11-WB14680070	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 10:55:52AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bl* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bl* P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : VIRGINIA BEACH VA 23455 Title : Fax Number :
Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 22
Time of Program : 10:00pm City/State of Program : VIRGINIA BEACH, VA
Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

Program was on January 17th and January 20th at 10:00pm and is on Weekly Mondays and Thursdays. Underage sexual activity by what appeared to be minors (some of the cast are as young as 15) and group sexual activity. This would be child pornography. Drug use and group drug use by teenagers.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933321	IC Number : 11-WB14680074	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:02:49AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] *bb* **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : THE WOODLANDS TX **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** 30
Time of Program : 7:00 pm **City/State of Program :** Houston, Texas
Network : MTV Viacom **Program Type :** Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

The episode included foul language, illegal drug use, illegal activity as well as thoroughly pervasive sexual content.

This and many other MTV shows are damaging to the social fabric of this country. It is an outrage that the FCC has not done ANYTHING about the reckless garbage that is on TV. Hiding behind the mantra, you don't have to watch it is a cop out. So many parents do not monitor what their kids watch, and then this new normal slowly become acceptable in society over the course of years. Now look where we are.

Do your job and remove this garbage!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933322	IC Number : 11-WB14680075	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 10:53:59AM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : JACKSONVILLE FL 32218	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Jacksonville, FL
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This new program called Skins that premiered on MTV is inappropriate for broadcast. Young teenagers engaged in sexual situations, partial nudity and drug use. Please pull this program off the air immediately. It is child porn.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933323	IC Number : 11-WB14680078	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:16:32PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : FORT WORTH TX 76120 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Cable TV CH.502
 Time of Program : 11:30 PM City/State of Program : Fort Worth, Texas
 Network : MTV Program Type : Cable
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

To whom it may concern,

I am writing about a new teen show that is airing on MTV called Skins. Apparently, it is an American adaptation of a show that originated in Europe. My concern in writing is the message that this show sends to our children today. In a society where are children already are dealing with major issues of fatherlessness, broken homes, single parent homes, drugs, rape, molestation, pre-marital sex, low-self esteem etc. this show takes those issues and makes them appear to not be issues. Showing teens out of control living their lives without parental guidance is dangerous. With all the issues parents face in the home today this type of show furthers the agenda of a lawless society where children take control of their own lives acting as immature adults that live irresponsibly. On top of the message the show sends the use and encouragement of profane language among teens on children's programming is erroneous. The sexual images are too edgy for none movie channel programming. Also, if we are a country that is fighting the ?War on Drugs? why would we allow programming that encourages our teens to buy and use drugs? This is more than just a program that shows teens that life is just a big party with a few bumps along the way. This is a program that shows teens that the major issues they face in society today and the very things that they should not do are ok. Programs like this dumb down the idea of being responsible and that there are consequences for engaging in things that are damaging to our lives. I hope the FCC would reconsider and not let this program continue to run on the air for the sake of the next generation. Where will our government be if those that are to be next in line generationally grow up with a lawless state of mind brought on by watching countless hours of programs like ? Skins? or anything similar to it? As, a nation we owe it to our children to protect them from danger and teach things to them that will help them grow up as sensible, responsible, and upstanding adult citizens of the United States. Though taking one program off the air may be a small step we would hope that other programs similar are taken off and future shows like it are never allowed to air. We are asking the FCC to help us preserve our children for a better life when they become adults.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933324	IC Number : 11-WB14680083	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:07:54AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 : [REDACTED] b6	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : NORTH PLATTE NE 69101	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/19/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 6:00 PM	City/State of Program : North Platte, NE
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

I have viewed segments of the MTV series "Skins" after controversial articles appeared in the media regarding it. Not only does it promote underage illicit drug and alcohol use. It exploits actors and actresses who are minors and the minor children who are their viewing audience. As a parent of 7 children we have taken action to eliminate MTV and every other Viacom network from our family's viewing. However, the dangers in promoting underage sex, pornography and addictive substance use shows complete disregard for the real world we live in including teen pregnancy, teen addiction, suicide resulting from these issues and STD's. Please act now to restore decency to the standards for this openly accessible TV Series that violates federal law and every notable standard of social decency!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933325	IC Number : 11-WB14680086	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:02:42AM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : <i>bb</i> [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : RINGGOLD VA 24586	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 331
Time of Program : 10:00PM	City/State of Program : Ringgold, Virginia
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Consumer is calling about MTV ?Skins?. The problem with the country is there is not morality. This show just shows the young people to have no morals. Girls are half dressed. Show has excessive drinking, sexual encounters of teenagers. Show promotes sex, drinking and lack of morality in our teenagers. He feels the FCC should shut down MTV.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933326	IC Number : 11-WB14680088	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:21:30AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : BROOKLYN NY 11222	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 331
Time of Program : 10:00pm	City/State of Program : New York City
Network : mtv	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : MTV show: Skins	

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency :	FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. :	IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date :	3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case :	3/2/2011

Problem Description

MTV's new show SKINS, promotes teen sex, drug abuse, rebellion...pretty much anarchy. Society doesn't need a show with very young actors to glamorize the chaos we face in this world. MTV is extremely popular with the youth and many will believe it's ok to do drugs, or have unprotected teen sex...because "it's the cool thing to do." This show is extremely inappropriate and disturbing for ALL VIEWERS.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933327	IC Number : 11-WB14680091	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:06:59AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] bb	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED] bb	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CHARLOTTE NC 28217	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] bb	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Directv 331
Time of Program : 11:30 PM	City/State of Program : Charlotte, NC
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

I cannot even begin to explain the lewdness of this show. For ANYONE to see that much skin on an underage child in such a sexual manner is deplorable. To think of the sex offenders and young people influenced by this sho makes me ill.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933330	IC Number : 11-WB14680101	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:06:21AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box : 10938
City / State / Zip : BATON ROUGE LA 70815	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/21/2010	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : HGTV
Time of Program : 10:04 am	City/State of Program : Baton Rouge, LA
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency :	FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. :	IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date :	3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case :	3/2/2011

Problem Description

MTV has a new show skins that is about to air and unfourtantly my family and I were exposed to this garbage while watching another station. The commerical for this show came on and showed teens, drinking and doing drugs. They also showed them participating in illicit sexual acts as well as getting high etc. This show is simply soft core porn for teens and should be removed from the air.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933331	IC Number : 11-WB14680109	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:08:09AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] bb	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED] bb	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : TYLER TX 75703 bb	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 11:00	City/State of Program : Tyler
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

MTV must be held to the same legal standards. They are guilty of distribution of child porn.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933332	IC Number : 11-WB14680115	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:14:30AM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : TULSA OK 74159 Title : Fax Number :
Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 39
Time of Program : 7:00 PM City/State of Program : Tulsa, OK
Network : mtv Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins/Jersey Shore

Problem Description

Federal Communications Commission
Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau
Consumer Complaints

Dear FCC:

Please review the footage of "Skins" (TV-MA) that Viacom has for broadcast on MTV. The previews/commercials for it shown during the TV-14 show, "Jersey Shore," were disturbingly pornographic in my opinion, not to mention the wanton foul language, illegal drug use, illegal activity as well as the thoroughly pervasive sexual content portrayed.

As someone who teaches children from 11yrs to 18yrs daily, they are extremely impressionable and given an idea, are likely to try to imitate it without thought of the possible consequences. Children's pre-frontal cortex, where judgments and consideration of possible consequences are made, is not completely developed until about age 25. Therefore children do not have the faculties to decide whether something is possibly positive or negative to them. "Skins" does not portray the consequences of the actions portrayed. I imagine that the show would not be nearly the 'hit' it is if it did portray the true consequences.

I urge you to take action to prevent the broadcast of "Skins" in any form on the airways, cable or otherwise, of the United States of America. We have higher standards here and care about the development of our children into responsible, mature adults.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED] b6

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933333	IC Number : 11-WB14680131	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:21:26AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : BRONX NY 10462 Title : Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 710
Time of Program : 11:30 PM City/State of Program : Bronx
Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

The series contains all kind of foul language, drugs, porn scenes. Also something that was obvious there most of the young people in the show were minor.
These type of shows can't be helpful in any society.

Case Information			
Control ID : CIMS00002933334	IC Number : 11-WB14680135	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:18:36AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information			
Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :	
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :	
City / State / Zip : MEDFORD NJ 08055	Title :	Fax Number :	
Email :	Company :		

Indecency			
Date of Program : 01/17/2011		Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV	
Time of Program : 10:00 pm		City/State of Program : Medford, NJ	
Network : MTV		Program Type : Unknown	
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins			

Problem Description

Please open an investigation regarding possible child pornography and exploitation on MTV's new series ?Skins.?

Skins is filled with graphic content involving high-school children, including depictions of teens drinking, smoking marijuana, and using massive quantities of drugs, engaging in violent acts, and having irresponsible sex with each other, with their schoolteachers, and with other adults.

Skins is about high-school children. Mixed in with the graphic drug use and sex scenes are storylines about falling in love and problems at school ? elements sure to generate interest from teens. The show is being written, in part, by teens. And the Skins cast is actually made up of teenagers, not adult actors playing teens. One cast member is only 15 years old.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933336	IC Number : 11-WB14680141	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:29:58AM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : VENTURA CA 93001 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] b6 Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Charter 42
 Time of Program : 10:00 PM City/State of Program : Ventura, Ca
 Network : MTV Program Type : Cable/Satellite
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Problem Description

suggestive sexual language, partial nudity, simulated drug use, simulated sex. This is in direct conflict with moral teenage behavior and countering the parental teachings. This is a violation of your regulations and needs to be removed from the public airway. And fine whomever is responsible for putting this on the air. They are making government rules and making you irrelevant.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933337	IC Number : 11-WB14680148	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Obscene	Assigned Code Acronym : OSBC
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:35:13AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *b6* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : [REDACTED] *b6* P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : SANTA FE NM 87505 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *b6* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV, Cablevision 73
 Time of Program : 11:00PM City/State of Program : Santa Fe, NM
 Network : MTV Program Type : Cable
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

Show shows apparently underage children engaging in drug use, underage sex (apparently...kids sure looked way too young), and program creates a sense of approval for illegal behavior as being acceptable and "cool." Is this program legal under FCC and Department of Justice guidelines?

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933338	IC Number : 11-WB14680151	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:34:50AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : PINECREST FL 33156 <i>bb</i>	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 11:00pm	City/State of Program : miami
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : skins	

Problem Description

way to much explicit , profane,and highly inapropied to be expose in a regular chanel.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933339	IC Number : 11-WB14680154	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:11:15PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>b6</i>	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>b6</i>	Address 2 : [REDACTED] <i>b6</i>	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : RIDGELAND MS 39157	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] <i>b6</i>	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/18/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 331 and others
Time of Program : 7:00 PM	City/State of Program : Ridgeland, Mississippi
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : "SKINS"	

Problem Description

While I have not seen this program, I have seen the trailers and advertising for it and was absolutely appalled at the casual nature displayed by children toward teen sex, drugs and relationships. The advertising trailers alone should be controlled relative to small children due to their sexually suggestive content and adult situations. Considering that these are not adult actors makes this even more repulsive and do not understand how the advertising let alone the show can be aired legally! I don't watch MTV and have it blocked on my home TV but the advertisement was shown on multiple other channels during normal family viewing hours.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933340	IC Number : 11-WB14680163	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:28:10AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : MARSING ID 83639	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 00:00 PM	City/State of Program : Idaho
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency :	FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. :	IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date :	3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case :	3/2/2011

Problem Description

This show includes minors in explicitly sexual situations. Minors are also portrayed using drugs and alcohol. The youngest actor on this show is 15 years old. MTV has gone way too far with the content of this show.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933341	IC Number : 11-WB14680168	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:28:53AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] bb	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED] bb	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : PROVO UT 84601	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 8:00	City/State of Program : Provo
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This show is terrible. It is full of teenager (underage) sex, drugs, and profanity. It is practically inciting our teens to act without dignity. Something of this sort on cable television is just sickening.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933342	IC Number : 11-WB14680173	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:34:43AM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : RIDGELAND SC 29936 *bb* Title : Fax Number :
Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 5:00 PM City/State of Program : Hilton Head Island
Network : MTV Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Problem Description

The content of this programming is completely inappropriate for the time of day and the market it is targeted to. The program is highly sexually suggestive involving minors. You must investigate whether MTV and Viacom have violated child decency laws.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933344	IC Number : 11-WB14680188	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:38:28AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] bb	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : BYRAM MS 39272	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 331
Time of Program : 9:00PM	City/State of Program : Byram, MS
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This show promotes sexuality and drug use among teens, with actual teens playing these scripted roles. It promotes and exposes teens to an alternative lifestyle that is unhealthy. The teens are promiscuous and have no respect for themselves at all. The show is crude and indecency at best.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933345	IC Number : 11-WB14680191	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:43:46AM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : PENSACOLA FL 32503 <i>bb</i>	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : channel 54
Time of Program : 09:00pm	City/State of Program : pensacola florida
Network : mtv	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : skins	

Problem Description

language drug use and child porn on this movie. should be illegal

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933346	IC Number : 11-WB14680207	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:40:12AM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : P. O. Box : 6
 City / State / Zip : RANDOLPH / NJ 07869 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/19/2010 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 53
 Time of Program : 10:00pm City/State of Program : Randolph NJ
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

Children having sexual relations, doing drugs and under age drinking.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933348	IC Number : 11-WB14680214	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:12:35PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : MODESTO CA 95355	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] b6	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 44
Time of Program : 10:00	City/State of Program : MODESTO,CA
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : mtv skins	

Problem Description

THIS SHOW PROMOTES FOWL SEX ACTS LEWD BEHAVIOR AND EXCESSIVE DRUG USE. IT PROMOTES LACK OF PARENTAL GUIDENCE AND IRRESPONSIBLE ADOLESCENT BEHAVIOR. IT IS A DISGRACE TO OUR SOCIETY.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933350	IC Number : 11-WB14680239	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 11:59:51AM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED]	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : NORTH PLATTE NE 69101	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : North Platte, NE
Network : Viacom, MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Note the previous form I submitted had an incorrect date and time please disregard. In detailing my objections to this film I am including a copy of an e-mail I sent to MTV executives. Dear MTV Executives,


The decision to acquire and air an Americanized version of the UK TV Series "Skins" is alarming, morally reprehensible and shows a complete lack of respect for the loyal viewers you have had over the years (many of which are minors, including 1.2 Million loyal viewers of the recent series "Jersey Shore" during whose broadcast "Skins" was aggressively advertised by your company). I have taken actions to eliminate all MTV content on the web or TV from my family's access. We in addition have eliminated any Viacom related programming or media from coming into our home. Having Seven children we confront the issues of teen sex, addiction, pregnancy, etc. in a responsible way as parents discussing issues and educating our children to avoid debauchery and those things that can destroy or ruin young lives. We live in a day where sex sells and the profit motive you have is too insatiable to exercise the right of self-control to check greed and deny the exploitation of children on your network. Furthermore, whether natural or federal law has been violated, even the lowest standards of human decency in protecting the rights of children have been violated by your company and those who lead it for the sole purpose of exploiting viewers basest instincts to turn a profit. My family is not only wholly shocked and offended by such disregard for human principle but will also take continued action against your company to employ every legal means of reducing viewers, discouraging investors and lobbying for federal prosecution for such offenses.

Currently, I have issued a formal complaint with the FCC, joined a PAC watchdog group to continue further action, as a businessman asked my stock broker to review funds and ensure I have nothing invested in Viacom interests and to sell anything I have. I have also donated substantial funding to groups forming legal inquiries and lobbying congress to ensure there is further inconvenient and disruptive oversight to your company. I have written the committees in Congress to urge them to enact punitive and restrictive measures

including urging the punishment of your network for possession of sexual material that exploits minors whether the content is edited or not. I am a firm believer that the society we live in has pursued a path of greed for the sake of more profits and in turn has exploited children, intentionally influenced attitudes including those involving teen sex, unsafe sex, teen pregnancy, teen addiction, teen suicide resulting from these issues of emotional roulette and the exploitation of minors.

I am currently a mentor of teens addicted to drugs and alcohol. I also have volunteered with youth crisis centers who help disadvantaged youth through these complex issues. Confronting these critical issues and real world topics by visually exploiting, seducing and influencing these minors or adults with reprehensible glorification and portrayal of obscenity simply is a grandstand to further impact the destruction of these young lives. The perpetrators of such poor judgment deserve and ought to receive the stiffest punishment of the law and the reduction of future profits through public backlash. Any human of the lowest inclination for child and human rights would remove this program immediately and apologize for their blind judgment driven by insatiable greed.

Sincerely,

 bb

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933351	IC Number : 11-WB14680240	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:04:21PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] hb	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : NORTHRIDGE CA 91325	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Northridge Ca
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This program depicted CHILDREN under 18 in situations with drugs and STRONG Sexual content. They are encouraging the children to perform and become famous on MTV.

This is child pornography and MUST BE STOPPED!!!

How can those producers be allowed to encourage and film sex between minors or sex between a minor and an adult. Not only is sex with a minor a FEDERAL CRIME, filming minors in sexual situations and redistributing it is also a FEDERAL CRIME.

PULL THIS SHOW FROM THE AIR IMMEDIATELY!!!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933352	IC Number : 11-WB14680251	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:07:19PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box : P.O. Box
City / State / Zip : HOPKINSVILLE KY 42240	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/15/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 54
Time of Program : 01:00 PM	City/State of Program : Hopkinsville, KY
Network : mtv	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency :	FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. :	IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date :	3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case :	3/2/2011

Problem Description

The tv show "Skins" is promoting homosexuality, free and casual sex, and a step close to child porn. If there are any concerns for our youth today and the future at the MTV station, they would not air such shows. Children and young adults are lead by example. If they see this show they may feel that it acceptable to be gay have casual sex and allow children to take part in sexual activities. The world is so rampid with STDs and the AIDS virus, this is only a stepping stone for viewers to engage in activities that this show portrays to contract a disease or a virus that they will not be able to get rid of. Thanks

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933353	IC Number : 11-WB14680252	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:06:45PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : SAINT JOHN IN 46373	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 9:00	City/State of Program : Saint John, IN
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Just watch the previews/commercials for the program and you can see how wrong it is.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933354	IC Number : 11-WB14680260	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:15:17PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : FORT WORTH TX 76134	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/22/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 1502
Time of Program : 11:00 PM	City/State of Program : Fort Worth, Texas
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

With MTV's impact of young viewers, the material from this show promotes sexual promiscuity and irresponsible behavior among young people! It also centers around teenage drug use which is a major problem in our high schools today!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933357	IC Number : 11-WB14680277	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:17:46PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : BROOKLYN NY 11231 Title : [REDACTED] *bb* Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/15/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 7:00 PM City/State of Program : Brooklyn New York
Network : MTV Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
Skins

Problem Description

This show is child pornography

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933358	IC Number : 11-WB14680284	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:20:17PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : [REDACTED]	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : ROY UT 84067	Title : [REDACTED]	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Roy, UT
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency :	FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. :	IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date :	3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case :	3/2/2011

Problem Description

This program is repulsive. To think that this is what we are encouraging our children to watch on TV is sad. Plain and simple this is child porn!!!!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933360	IC Number : 11-WB14680293	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Satellite	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:25:29PM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>h6</i>	Phone : [REDACTED]	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 : <i>h6</i>	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : WARNER ROBINS GA	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Dish Network
Time of Program : 10pm	City/State of Program : Warner Robins GA
Network : MTV	Program Type : Satellite TV
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : skins	

Problem Description

This show is very attractive to a young and dumb teen. Drugs, Sex, and parties is all it is about. The show does not give a young man or lady a choice to see how life should be for them only what it could be. Subliminal messages that it is cool to steal, do illegal drugs, have sex with someone you drug up. Please delete this show before the youth kill themselves.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933361	IC Number : 11-WB14680301	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:27:53PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : FRONTENAC MN 55026	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/20/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 8:00 PM	City/State of Program : Frontenac, MN
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This show is not decent for this channel and it's target audience.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933362	IC Number : 11-WB14680311	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:41:34PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : SPRINGFIELD MA 01108	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/24/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10pm	City/State of Program : Springfield, MA
Network : viacom	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

The Material on this program is obscene and offensive. This show is geared toward influencing our youth in only the worst ways promoting drugs, sex, and a plethora of illegal activities. This is not how a civilized society should be persuading its youth. Not only that but the age of this kids and the age of the audience that it is geared toward has well crossed the line of legality. I implore you to take this show off of the air and prosecute those responsible for it's creation!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933363	IC Number : 11-WB14680313	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Satellite	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:33:23PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>b6</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address :	Address 2 :	P. O. Box : P.O. Box 3003
City / State / Zip : LOS ALTOS CA 94024 <i>b6</i>	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : Directv
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Los Altos, CA
Network : MTV	Program Type : Satellite TV
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

the show "Skins" on MTV is a dangerous disgrace. The children acting in this show are committing sexual acts that surely must be illegal. MTV.com also makes this show available to anyone on the Internet without restriction. This show needs to be removed immediately, and producers responsible for this child pornography prosecuted under the law. This is what we expect our government to do for us, protect citizens.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933365	IC Number : 11-WB14680320	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:46:27PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : KILLEEN TX 76549 Title : [REDACTED] *bb* Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/15/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 1602
 Time of Program : 09:00 City/State of Program : Killeen, TX
 Network : MTVHD Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

This show is offered on MTV and portrays underage teens engaging in sexual acts, drinking, and abusing drugs it is rated TV-MA. There are many instances of the use of profane language used, words such as fuck. How can a show with a rating of TV-MA exploit teenagers as young as 15 be allowed to air?

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933366	IC Number : 11-WB14680329	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:05:59PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b4	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : RALEIGH NC 27610	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01-27-11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : mtv
Time of Program : 10:00 pm	City/State of Program : raleigh
Network : mtv	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : skins	

Problem Description

I saw the preview for the skins show on MTV on Tuesday night. This show should not be allow on TV. I'm not sure when it will first be aired. Their's just too much adult content. Our kids should not be told it ok to have sex before they are married. Take this show off before it can be shown to our young teens.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933367	IC Number : 11-WB14680340	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:47:16PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] hb	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] bk	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : HENDERSON NV 89002	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] bb	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/1/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:10 AM	City/State of Program : Henderson, NV
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

I think the skins program is far too graphic and should not be allowed to be aired. It is designed to appeal to underage children and encourage sexual behaviors. The actors themselves are underage and performing sexual actions. This is clearly illegal.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933368	IC Number : 11-WB14680343	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 12:47:39PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] Phone : (919) 649 - 6417 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : RALEIGH NC 27613 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 10:00 PM City/State of Program : raleigh, nc
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 The Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

illegal drug use, under age drinking, under age sex. lude without any message. absolute disgust.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933370	IC Number : 11-WB14680364	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:12:45PM	Date Closed : 1/31/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED]	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED]	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : ALBUQUERQUE NM 87121	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/21/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : internet
Time of Program : 02:00 am	City/State of Program : Albuquerque, NM
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Kids under the age of 18 having sex, teens half naked, child porn, minors promoting the use of illegal drugs. teens in a tent having sex, girl and boy dancing at school while boy is rubbing girls breasts

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933372	IC Number : 11-WB14680378	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:29:42PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : OLATHE KS 66061	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/10	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Olathe KS
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

Skins is obscene! This program consists of child pornography, drugs, sex, masturbation, demeaning to women, crude dialog, children in provocative clothing. Nothing good will come of this program there is no entertainment value to the viewers with the exception of rapist, pornographers, and pedophiles. This is the type of material that fuels domestic violence, rape (statutory rape, date rape, and violent rape, child rape and molestation), drug use, eating disorders, body image disorders, low self esteem, teen depression and suicide.

Please get rid of this show before it has poisoned our children.

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Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933373	IC Number : 11-WB14680387	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:08:47PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>h4</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : BROOMFIELD CO 80021	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Broomfield, CO
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This program is a disgrace. I can't believe MTV is still allowed to air this morally disgusting garbage. The sexual situations involving underage children on this show is COMPLETELY INAPPROPRIATE. It's a show rated 'MA' and marketed towards pre-teen and under-aged children. It is thoroughly abhorrent. Please get this program off the air ASAP.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933374	IC Number : 11-WB14680392	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:10:25PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box : 512
 City / State / Zip : LAKE JACKSON TX 77566 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] *bb* Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/21/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV ON THE INTERNET
 Time of Program : 10:00 AM City/State of Program : LAKE JACKSON, TEXAS
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

I WATCHED THIS SKINS ON THE INTERNET. THERE IS NO WAY THIS IS ACCEPTABLE. THESE ARE CHILDREN GLORIFYING UNDERAGE SEX, DRUG ABUSE, ADULT DISRESPECT, AND ACTING IN ADULT SITUATIONS. THIS SHOW IS NOT TRUE TO TODAY'S YOUTH. CHILDREN IMITATE SHOWS THAT THEY WATCH AND ARE VERY IMPRESSIONABLE. MY 2 YR OLD ACTS LIKE BATMAN BECAUSE HE WATCHES BATMAN. I MONITOR WHAT MY CHILDREN WATCH AND LOG ON TO. BUT I CAN NOT WATCH MY KIDS AT ALL TIMES. IF MY 11 YEAR OLD DAUGHTER GOES TO A FRIENDS HOUSE AND THIS SHOW IS ON THEIR TV, I DON'T WANT THEM TO VIEW THIS SMUT. THIS PROGRAM NEEDS TO BE CANCELED. IT IS CHILD PORNOGRAPHY AND A BAD EXAMPLE FOR OUR YOUTH. THIS IS IRRESPONSIBLE. DO YOUR JOB.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933375	IC Number : 11-WB14680400	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:13:37PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CANFIELD OH 44406	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00pm	City/State of Program : Canfield, OH
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : SKINS	

Problem Description

I Ccan't even watch the commercials without being disturbed!!! Unreal that this is supposed to be entertainment. I am open to alot of things but this has crossed the line!!!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933376	IC Number : 11-WB14680403	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:15:01PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CULLMAN AL 35058	Title :	Fax Number :
Email :	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Cullman, AL
Network : MTV	Program Type : Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

teenagers as young as 15 years old engaged in sexual acts

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933377	IC Number : 11-WB14680410	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:25:04PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *bb* Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] *bb* Address 2 : [REDACTED] *bb* P. O. Box : 531
 City / State / Zip : FORT BLISS TX 79916 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 68
 Time of Program : 7:00 pm City/State of Program : ft bliss tx
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

They have kids doing sexual acts! This is just wrong. I can't believe you are letting them do this. This is sick. Kids doing drugs and doing sexual acts that are under 18. This is sick and something needs to be done about this fast! I don't want my kid see this trash. thank you for your time.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933378	IC Number : 11-WB14680414	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:36:22PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : LEXINGTON KY 40515 <i>bb</i>	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED] <i>bb</i>	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/17/2011	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 160 (Dish Network)
Time of Program : 10:00 PM	City/State of Program : Lexington, KY
Network : MTV	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins	

Problem Description

This show is full of sexually and demoralizing situations featuring teenages who are underage. The show claims that it's aim is to show the "typical teenager" but this is not how all teenages are. However, it does succeed in giving teenagers who are not like those portrayed on this show ideas of how to become like them. The glorification of sex and drugs on show marketed for teenages is not what should be on our television. Please have this show taken off the air. Thank You.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933379	IC Number : 11-WB14680422	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Unknown Media Types	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Content Criticism	Assigned Code Acronym : PCCR
Owner Rep Number : PCC66	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:40:36PM	Date Closed : 1/28/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] *hb* **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : *hb* [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : CHARLESTON SC 29412 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** MTV
Time of Program : 10:00 PM **City/State of Program :** Charleston SC
Network : MTV **Program Type :** Cable/Satellite
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : Skins

Problem Description

This is a disgusting show and I am appalled that this is centered around high schools kids and is promoting promiscuity, drug use & same sex relationships! Lets let children (and that's what they are) grow up with good role models and if they so choose that path when they're adults so be it. It's just a trashy, useless show and has no business being on TV! Who raised these producers these days? I wasn't raised like that and I bet whoever is reading this wasn't either!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933380	IC Number : 11-WB14680430	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:31:18PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : Address 2 : P. O. Box : PO Box 318
 City / State / Zip : CENTERVILLE UT 84014 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/17/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 08:00 PM City/State of Program : Centerville, UT
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

Excessive sexual content depicting young teenagers engaging in promiscuous behavior. This raunchy show has crossed the line and needs to be censored or taken off the air.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933381	IC Number : 11-WB14680439	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:47:54PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6	Phone : (000) 000 - 0000	Best Time to Call :
Address : [REDACTED] b6	Address 2 :	P. O. Box :
City / State / Zip : CATAWBA ISLAND OH b6	Title :	Fax Number :
Email : [REDACTED]	Company :	

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/18/11	Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : 160
Time of Program : 10:00 pm	City/State of Program : national
Network : mtv	Program Type : Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film : skins	

Problem Description

Sex, drugs, anger, rude disrespectful behavior. The whole thing was profane. With crap like that targeted toward our children we are in big trouble. Please try to do something about getting this off the air.

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933383	IC Number : 11-WB14680451	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:41:44PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] Phone : (000) 000 - 0000 Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] Address 2 : P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : PASADENA CA 91107 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/01/2011 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 12:00 PM City/State of Program : Pasadena, CA
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 Skins

Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
 Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
 Referral Date : 3/1/2011
 EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

This show is disgusting, and you need to step up and take action. If the FCC can't regulate the defiling of minors on a major network, I don't know what your purpose is. There is a significant trend in television towards jokes and subject matter about pedophilia, and it makes me ashamed that the greatest country in the world can't even protect its children within its own borders. I'm pretty sure the Founders are rolling in their graves knowing that the First Amendment is being used as a shield to protect the worst of our society while they attack the most vulnerable of our society. Do something!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933384	IC Number : 11-WB14680454	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Indecent	Assigned Code Acronym : INDE
Owner Rep Number : TSR42	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:42:06PM	Date Closed : 1/27/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] b6 b7C Phone : [REDACTED] Best Time to Call :
 Address : [REDACTED] b6 Address 2 : [REDACTED] P. O. Box :
 City / State / Zip : THEODORE AL 36582 b6 Title : Fax Number :
 Email : [REDACTED] Company :

Indecency

Date of Program : 1/19/11 Call Sign/Channel/Frequency : MTV
 Time of Program : 1/19/11 City/State of Program : greensboro nc
 Network : MTV Program Type : Unknown
 Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
 SKINS

Problem Description

this is sickening, our countrys children are in dire of help as it is we Dont need this show glamorizing use of drug abuse & un-
 protected & totally promiscuous sex, enoughts enough, this is oushing the line of child porn & needs to be fined and taken
 immdiately off the TV, what total trash and the parents allowing their kids to film this should take some responsibility, all
 so MTV can make Money off the morals & total breakdown of societys morals, this is toally appalling as a parent of 4
 grown kids & as a grandmother also, stop this show NOW !! I am happy to see sponsors pulling ads. this show needs to be in
 the trash, stop letting it be showed NOW!!

Case Information

Control ID : CIMS00002933386	IC Number : 11-WB14680474	Submission Method : Web	Status : Closed
Level One : Broadcast	Level Two : Programming Issues	Level Three : Children	Assigned Code Acronym : CHIL
Owner Rep Number : TSR29	Creator : cgb.475	Problem Submitted Time : 1/21/2011 1:51:56PM	Date Closed : 3/1/2011

Contact Information

Consumer's Name : [REDACTED] **Phone :** (000) 000 - 0000 **Best Time to Call :**
Address : [REDACTED] **Address 2 :** **P. O. Box :**
City / State / Zip : STOCKBRIDGE GA 30281 **Title :** **Fax Number :**
Email : **Company :**

Indecency

Date of Program : 01/20/2011 **Call Sign/Channel/Frequency :** 50
Time of Program : 9:00 pm **City/State of Program :** stockbridge, ga
Network : mtv **Program Type :** Unknown
Name of Program/DJ/Personality/Song/Film :
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Case Referred

Case Referral Agency : FCC/Enforcement Bureau
Referral Division/Dept. : IHD - Investigation & Hearings
Referral Date : 3/1/2011
EB/IHD Exported Case : 3/2/2011

Problem Description

This mess is showing kids engaging in all types of illicit behavior and it is truly sick. Just like the mess they show on Gossip Girl why are they putting children into these types of rolls. Let them be kids.